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Legal Notice. Elizabeth Herman, Plaintiff, versus Wm. S. Rogers, Defendant. Before Wm. S. Rogers, J. P. Perry, Philip Herman, Deft. To, Stark Co. O. Philip Herman, whose residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 17th day of April, 1888, Elizabeth Herman, Plaintiff, filed her petition in the office of Wm. S. Rogers, Justice of the Peace, in and for said Stark County, Ohio, asking for a Judgment against said Defendant, Philip Herman, in the sum of \$200.00, and which came to be heard on the first day of June, A. D. 1888, at 9:30 a. m. ELIZABETH HERMAN.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Topics of the Times Given in a terse and spicy manner.

Jacob All, rope route, Dover, Ill., ill health.

The Essex family reunited at Hope, Ind., Friday.

A cov'gored Mrs. Reubarger to death at Logansport, Ind.

Blaine delegates were chosen by the Maryland Republicans.

Saloonskeepers of Millersburg, O., are boycotting business men.

William Hiser, freight car breaker, got seven years at Newark, O.

Mary Donnelly, of London, O., was arrested there for pocket picking.

The Nicholasville Ky., Democrat, an eight-column weekly, has made its appearance.

The delegates elected by the Dakota Republicans, with one exception, favor Blaine.

Little Tommy Newton was killed by the explosion of a blasting cartridge at Clifford, Indiana.

First train on the Louisville Southern depot pulled out of the Louisville depot Friday.

Sullivan and Budd jury, Indianapolis tally sheet case, aged to disguise and was discharged.

T. A. Buckins was seriously injured, at London, O., by a rebounding bullet from a target gun.

Henry Urban, aged seventy, of Cambridge, O., mourning for his deceased wife, joined her by the rope route.

The Cincinnati, Wabash & Michigan railroad is building an extension from Anderson, Ind., to Rushville.

C. W. Ingelfree, telegraph operator, suicided at Munamouth, Nev., because a young lady refused to marry him.

Indianapolis police took in Louis Connelly and Frank Johnson, of Cincinnati, runaway boys, who want to some home.

V. Bender, of Newark, O., had a Sunday bender in his saloon, and put up ten V's to conciliate the law and order league.

The opposing factions of the Minnesota Democrats united at their state convention and endorsed Cleveland and tariff reform.

Hong Yen Chang, aged twenty-seven, was admitted to the bar in Brooklyn, this week. He is the first Chinese lawyer in America.

W. Z. Hall is awarded \$3,400 damages for injuries received while in the employ of the State Creek Iron Ore company, at Owingsville, Ky.

Receiver Bohl, of the Xenia bank, announces that certificates will be issued for all claims properly proved and presented by August 28.

Some fiend, who wants a sudden funeral in his family, has been poisoning the cattle of William Sadowski, near Laporte, Ind., with Paris green.

James Wright's stable, at Circleville, O., went up in a bonfire, with the horses, on the 12th inst., and Charles Litter is jailed as the incendiary who lit it.

Ohio Odd Fellows are indignant against Landford Munger, of the Arcade hotel at Springfield, O., charged them full rates after promising them a reduction.

Peter Ackerman, the crook who tried to snatch a watch from a Baltimore & Ohio passenger at Newark, gets a watch and a big chunk of time free at the expense of the state.

Fred Bauer, of Ripley, O., saloonist, broke Sunday and the Owen law, broke himself up paying costs, broke up his saloon business and threatens to break for some land which is wetter than this.

John P. Reason, student at the Wesleyan university, Bloomington, Ill., suicided in order to cure himself of the habit of going in debt. He had in his pocket three duns for ninety-eight cents due a Bloomington merchant.

Young Zolar, of Cleveland, O., waited for the letter that never came from the girl he loved until he was tired, and ended his sorry life by emptying a charge of bullets among his ribs and jumping from a second story window.

Fire Chief Mercer and Fire Engineer Moore, of Youngstown, each claims authority over the Youngtown, O., department. The ladies don't know which is boss, and the entire town is liable to burn before they decide the question.

The shanty on Blackberry Fork, Kentucky, where the Hatfield-McCoy massacre took place, is haunted by real ghosts, real old Kentucky ghosts, who appear in volleys of musketry and send clannish, cold winds through the whiskers of the unfettered observers.

Twelve years ago, Mr. Moorman, a wealthy farmer living near London, O., was operated on for tumor in the ear. Cotton was put in the ear at the time, and he was told to return and have it taken out. He failed to do so and lost his hearing. The cotton has been removed and his hearing has been restored.

John D. Anderson, president of the Baptist female college, Brownsville, Tex., has resigned. He was caught hugging a young lady pupil of beautiful facial architecture, whose name was Pierce. Nobody would have objected to her piercing his heart, but for the fact that he was married. Miss Pierce has gone home to Mississippi on a permanent vacation and Anderson has departed for Florida.

The Hooser capital is noted for her ability to take in strangers, but at present she is sitting up nights and soaking her head to devise some way of entertaining 10,000 fellows who won't take drink. But when the guests depart saying enthusiastically that they "never had a drier time in their lives," the web footed capitalist is not expected to shed any moist weeps. That is prohibition volapuk for a wild, old spree.

Hillsville, Ky., had a \$30,000 fire Monday. Mrs. S. Metzgar, invalid, hanged herself at 7 P. M.

At St. Paul, Minn., a Swede fell dead after smoking a stogy cigar.

John Lewis, of Chatham, O., is strangely missing, together with \$2,500.

At Hazard, Ky., seven persons were indicted for the killing of J. C. Eversole.

A pony threw young James Lunsure at Spencerville, O., and killed him.

Mrs. Charles D. Umforth drowned herself in a pond at Oberlin, O., Monday. Tired of life.

The letter carriers eight hour bill, which waits the president's signature, will make places for 3,000 additional carriers.

MONDAY'S BASE BALL.—St. Louis 4, Baltimore 0; Louisville 4, Athletic 14; Pittsburgh 4, Washington 0; Philadelphia 4, Chicago 1.

William Lawson, jealous lover, dealt Albert Kneib a heavy blow on the back of the head with a large bowler at Anderson, Ind.

W. L. Baurhof, of Port Huron, Mich., has been appointed general superintendent of the railway mail service, vice T. E. Nash, resigned.

Elmer Friend, aged twenty-three, was accidentally killed by a stone thrown in sport by a Miss Ingolds in Wetzel county, West Virginia.

Burglars entered by an unlocked window in the summer residence at Waltham, Mass., at Augustus Flagg, and stole valuables aggregating \$8,000.

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The contract for the construction and completion of the Federal building at Reading, Pa., has been awarded to the Anderson Brothers, of Trenton, O.

A West Virginia editor who made a tour of Maine, to personally invest, at the working of the Prohibition law, says that liquor is openly sold at hotel bars and in many saloons.

The attorneys for the Chicago gas trust secured another postponement of the big suit of N. C. Miller, of New York, against the Gas Trust company, until Thursday morning.

Rev. J. L. Hamilton, of the African M. E. church, at 408 S. E. 1st, was arrested for petit larceny. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$10.

It now seems unquestionable that Mrs. Marden was driven to suicide by his daughter's disgrace. It is said that she died at a private residence in a quiet resort several days before her death.

The total shipment of coal from Pittsburg on the recent rise amounts to 10,350,000 bushels, of which 3,828,000 bushels are for Cincinnati and 6,522,000 bushels are for Louisville and the southern markets.

In the Carter divorce case at Chicago an affidavit has been filed by the defendant in which it is alleged that she had committed in some very important features of the testimony sought to be introduced by Mrs. Carter.

Among the business transacted by the Turnerbund at Chicago, Monday, was the adoption of an amendment to the report of the committee on constitution, making it obligatory for all members of Turners to become citizens of the United States.

Proposals to consult the Turnerbund to demand for the abolition of the United States senate and for the election of the president of the country by direct vote of the people was defeated.

Sunday's arrivals at Castle Garden, 12th, Horace Carmack, Indianapolis jeweler, assigned.

Elder James Quinter fell dead in church at Wabash, Ind.

Portland, Ind., is illuminated by a 2,000,000 foot gas town.

Auburn Township, Crawford county, Ohio, defeated local option.

Leon Apolant, traveling salesman, fell dead at Hopkinsville, Ky., Sunday.

John Hicks, a negro, shot and killed Deputy Sheriff Shippe, in Knox county, Tennessee.

Bennett H. Young is president of the Louisville Southern railroad, vice J. W. Stone.

New Democratic sheet called the Daily News will float in the political winds of Madison, Ind.

Miss Fenna Clarke, insane, cured her mind disease by throwing herself under a train at Brazil, Ind.

Southern Association of Wagonmakers spoke for themselves at Louisville in convention assembled.

James Ducher and T. J. McNiry sadly forked over \$100 each for violating the prohibitory ordinance of Alliance, O.

Bob Broadbush, aged fourteen, has achieved the distinction of being a United States prisoner by robbing mail pouches at Nicholasville, Ky.

The South Carolina Democrats in convention denounced the administration of Cleveland and refused to adopt a resolution approving of the Mills bill.

Oliver Green, of Shelbyville, Ind., kindly signed his father's name to a note to save the old gentleman the trouble and the ungrateful paternal had him jailed.

The body of a man apparently about twenty-five years of age was washed to the shore at Painesville, O., Sunday. Fastened to the body were two flour sacks filled with sand and stone.

"Blest be the tie that binds," sung the Lancaster, Ky., business men as they shelled out shekels to the amount of \$450,000 to connect their village with Burgin via Louisville Southern railroad.

So many Dunkards in attendance on the United States annual conference at North Manchester, Ind., that the villagers are obliged to send them to the adjoining towns for entertainment.

"Blukny" Morgan denies the truth of the published stories pretending to corroborate the evidence of his guilt, and avers that it is the \$10,000 reward and not justice which is the motive power.

Ed Cassell was drowned near Marion, Ind., while fishing.

Ohio King of Phytins is holding grand lodge at Zanesville.

Vinton Stewart was gored to death by a bull near Faray, Ind.

Chiefs of labor bureaus from sixteen states confer at Indianapolis.

Philip G. killed John Sales, aged nine, near Columbus as Grove, O.

Little Charlie Jackson, of Bloomington, Ind., was drowned while fishing.

Now they say Calvin W. Brice wants to go the United States senate from Ohio.

Unknown persons poisoned three horses of Farmer Smith near Chattanooga, O.

Business troubles led Joseph Schuch, of Louisville, Ky., to blow his brains out.

Indiana boys of Drums met among the old ruins of Indianapolis and elected officers.

Philip Hawk agreed to speak during a session of the Odd Fellows lodge in Hamilton, and dropped dead.

Mahoning Valley Iron Manufacturers' association is preparing to do itself proud at the Cincinnati centennial.

Winners at Brooklyn Tuesday were Laredo, Bordelaise, Emperor of Norfolk, Ordway, Blazer and Blunder Bear.

Winchester, O., citizens sat all Sunday in smokeless solitude and hear their whiskers grow. No cigar or barber shops open on that day.

"Blukny" Morgan's last hope, barring Providence and Foraker, was dissipated by the supreme court's refusal to grant him a new trial.

Domineck Frochime, an enthusiastic base ball crank, dropped dead at New Orleans while yelling applause for a fine play at a ball game Tuesday.

BALLOTING FOR BISHOPS.

IMPORTANT WORK OF THE METHODIST DIST GENERAL CONFERENCE.

Names of the Fortunate Divines—Remarkable Work of Chaplain McCabe in Raising Money for Foreign Missions—His Explanation of the Secret of His Success.

New York, May 24.—At Tuesday night's session of the Methodist Episcopal general conference balloting was resumed. Neither of the two afternoon ballots had secured to any candidate enough of votes, but on the third ballot of the evening session two bishops were selected. There were 420 votes cast, and 306 were necessary to a choice.

The vote was: Vincent, 311; Fitzgerald, 310; Goodsell, 250; Newman, 227; Joyce, 200; Payne, 148; Cranston, 143; Kywell, 108; Butts, 111; and King, 71. The others were scattering. The two bishops elected were, therefore, Rev. Dr. J. H. Vincent, of the Rock River conference, and Rev. J. N. Bishop Vincent, Fitzgerald, of the New Jersey conference. After the election of these two bishops a fourth ballot taken, but an adjournment was taken before the count.

The election of bishops was postponed in the morning. The result of the fifth ballot was made known immediately after reading the journal. It resulted in the election of J. W. Joyce pastor of St. Paul's church, Cincinnati, by a vote of 320 out of 447 votes cast. Only 300 votes were necessary to a choice, but Dr. D. D. Goodsell fell fourteen short of the number, getting but 265 votes. On the same ballot Dr. John P. Newman received 257, Charles H. Payne 167 and Earl Cranston 119. Bishop Bowman presided and read the result of the ballot. The devotional exercises were led by Col. Ray, of Indianapolis.

The sixth ballot was ordered and the vote was cast in less than half an hour. While the tellers were out counting the vote the committee on revisions reported several proposed changes in the discipline. One of these changes relative to the relations of the church to the government of the United States was a subject of considerable debate. The present tendency to introduce operative and other "bifurcated" music into the church service was deprecated, and, on motion of Col. Ray, the item relating to church music was amended so as to make the music committees amenable to the general conference.

The sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth ballots resulted in no election, and balloting began for the tenth time. After the tellers had collected the ballots the conference adjourned. There is no more interesting figure in the Methodist conference than Chaplain McCabe. His success in raising funds for Methodist missions is remarkable. Four years ago he stated out with the battle cry of "A million for missions." At that time the income of the missionary society was \$731,000 and a debt of \$250,000 barred further progress. The chaplain was elected corresponding secretary, and he threw his whole soul into the work of raising money.

He is a determined man. He has clear-cut features and sharp, piercing eyes. He is one of those rare men who are both actor and vocalist. His well-modulated voice led to his being selected as the leader of singing at the conference. As a speaker he is known from one end of the country to the other. The result of his personal persuasion and business methods is that over \$1,000,000 was raised in 1887, the debt paid off and the mission work carried further than ever before. A reporter asked him what was the secret of his success.

"Simply this," said he, "I adopted the following maxim: 'Tell the people what you are doing with their money.' Instead of lecturing on the manners and customs of foreign lands, tell the people of the power of the gospel in overcoming superstition, and changing the hearts and lives of men, making them happier all over the earth. This has been done not only in addresses at great conventions and mass-meetings, but through the press, both religious and secular."

The chaplain has his headquarters in the city, and has the country divided into 375 districts, in each of which is a corresponding secretary. These secretaries receive by mail every week a printed bulletin, containing the latest news from the mission fields. Each of the secretaries aim to have this bulletin inserted in the columns of at least ten secular newspapers, so that over three thousand newspapers are publishing missionary intelligence to at least six million readers. The object of publishing this intelligence broadcast is of great benefit not only to the churches, but to the Protestant churches.

The first Methodist conference for the current year drew the sum of \$1,300,000, and Dr. McCabe says the prospect for raising this amount is very good. The spring conference have already closed their sessions with an increase of nearly \$300,000 over former contributions, and the great west is yet to be heard from.

Date of Maxwell's Execution Not Named.

St. Louis, May 24.—The Missouri supreme court Monday received the mandate of the United States supreme court in the case of High M. Maxwell, alias Maxwell, the Englishman convicted of the sensational Southern hotel murder. Court adjourned without fixing the date for the execution. It will not convene again until June 1, when the date for the execution will be named and the mandate forwarded to the sheriff of this city. Maxwell was much affected when he was informed that the state court could in a few days dispose of his case forever. His transatlantic friends are working hard on Secretary Bayard, Minister Phelps, Minister West and Governor Morhouse. A half-dozen affidavits in petitions are in circulation in this city, but the signatures are a few.

CLEVELAND ENDORSED

BY THE PENNSYLVANIA DEMOCRATS AT HARRISBURG.

Provisions of the Platform—The Delegation to St. Louis Instructed to Vote for Grover—Proceedings of Other State Democratic Conventions.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 24.—The Democratic state convention was very largely attended and not the least opposition to Cleveland is discernible. A large majority of the 387 delegates present are not only harmoniously in favor of his re-nomination but are willing to go to almost any length to sustain his tariff policy.

W. I. Hensel, ex-chairman of the Democratic state committee, was unanimously elected temporary chairman amid applause. His speech was pitched in a tariff reform key. The president's revenue policy was warmly endorsed, as well as other conspicuous policies of the administration. There was much applause when Cleveland's name was mentioned. References to tariff reform were also greeted with enthusiasm. At the conclusion of Hensel's speech he was greeted with great applause.

Congressman Sowden wanted to go to the Democratic National convention, but Berks county having fifteen delegates to Lehigh's eight, and Sowden declining to commit himself to the Mills bill, he was defeated, and Congressman Ermantrout and George Smith, Jr., of Berks county, were chosen.

After recess the platform committee reported. The platform adopted declares in favor of a revision of the tariff, and urges the passage of the Mills bill, urging the Democratic representatives in congress from this state to give it their earnest and undivided support. It says the public lands must be reserved for actual settlement by American citizens, and the fidelity and courage of the administration in restoring to the public domain many millions of acres of land forfeited under congressional grants, merit the approval and gratitude of the people.

The surplus in the treasury should be applied to the reduction of the principal and interest of the public debt; that the express authority should be given to the president by congress to purchase United States bonds in advance of maturity, until the surplus is exhausted; until the country is congratulated upon the maintenance of the dignity of the government abroad, and of peace and tranquility at home, under the wise and patriotic administration of President Cleveland. Monopolistic legislation is condemned and the necessary remedies promised.

The delegation to St. Louis is instructed to vote as a unit for the re-nomination of President Cleveland; a just and proper pension act which shall do ample justice to all deserving volunteer soldiers and sailors of the United States now living, and to the widows and orphans of such who have died from causes traceable to their service under the flag of their country, is favored.

It condemns the tendency toward a centralization of land titles in the hands of speculative capitalists due to systems of federal and state taxation.

The present state administration is condemned for its failure to enforce the provisions of the constitution against the consolidation, says the action of the Republican legislature in the defeat of the Billingsly bill, was in the interest of monopoly and opposed to the interests of the people.

The concluding paragraph recommends that when two-thirds of the delegation to the St. Louis convention so agree, its vote shall be cast as a unit on all matters submitted to the convention.

R. M. Spear, of Huntington, and A. F. Keating, of Pittsburg, were elected electors-at-large, and ex-Attorney General Cassidy, William L. Scott, William Mutchler and Charles E. Boyle, delegates-at-large to St. Louis, all by acclamation.

Who Shall They Instruct For? SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 24.—The question whether the Democratic state convention shall instruct for Gen. Black for vice president is creating more contention among the delegates than the matter of the nominees. Gen. Black has telegraphed here from Washington that the convention will be composed of representative, brainy men, competent to pass upon every question that will be under consideration without any interference or suggestion, and with independence enough to declare their views and emphasize their wishes.

"It will," he says, "be a pitiful day when the Democracy of Illinois consents to surrender the higher prerogative of their own voters, or shall follow the dictation, or shall fear to express their own opinion."

This is regarded in the light of a direct slap at ex-Congressman Morrison, who is bitterly opposed to instructions for Black, and has in consequence intensified the feeling among Morrison's adherents.

Assistant Postmaster General Stevenson telegraphed here that the convention is fully competent to transact business without dictation from any one.

A Washington dispatch says that all the Illinois Democratic congressmen authorize the statement that they favor the convention instructing for Black.

Democratic state convention was called to order at 12:30 in the hall of representatives. Judge Jesse Phillips, of Hillsboro, acted as temporary chairman, and a delegate of President Cleveland. The mention of his name created great enthusiasm.

Another Ticket About to Be Sprung.

WASHTON, May 24.—Delegates are arriving here in great numbers for the purpose of taking action upon the question of nominating a presidential ticket.

The platform of the Alliance advocates the repeal of the naturalization laws, the restoration of indefensible immigration, the amendment of the constitution of the United States, restricting the elective franchise to twenty years of natural birth. It also seeks such amendments as will forbid and prevent the forming of political organizations composed exclusively of foreign born residents to interfere in the political affairs of this country.

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THE OHIO REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For President,
JOHN SHERMAN.
For Secretary of State,
DANIEL R. RYAN.
For Judge of the Supreme Court,
JOSEPH P. BRADLEY.
For Member Board of Public Works,
WELLS S. JONES.
Electors at Large,
A. H. MATTON,
J. H. LAMSON.

For Congress, Eighteenth District,
MAJOR WM. M. KINLEY, Jr.
For Presidential Elector,
J. W. MCCLYMmonds.

Mr. Fuller will be confirmed. This is proper.

Mr. Grover Cleveland, who flew through Ohio by night a year ago is now to be especially invited to come here and see our centennial.

Nearly all Ohio cities receive government weather reports by telegraph and are provided with signal flags. Any town can get these reports by paying the bare expense of the messages and procuring the necessary flags.

The counties of Ohio now rushing pell mell to spend thousands of dollars at the Columbus centennial, have not read up on the Cincinnati affair, or they would divide their affections. There will be a wonderful exposition in Cincinnati this summer.

Mr. Blaine's friends are making themselves decidedly obnoxious to a great many good Republicans just now, and patience is ceasing to be a virtue. Mr. Blaine's withdrawal was purely voluntary, and circumstances under which he could now accept the nomination without dishonor are almost beyond the range of possibility, certainly of probability.

The militia of the United States is likely to receive two hundred thousand dollars more from Congress than was the original intention. The militia gets little enough from congress, yet we rely much more upon it than upon the regular army. The national government ought to build creditable armories for these citizen soldiers wherever companies exist. The States do quite enough in arming and drilling them and paying them while on duty.

It is now given out that the bill to provide cities of the class to which Massillon belongs with postoffice buildings to cost not more than twenty-five thousand dollars, will pass. It is believed, too, the clause making the erection of such buildings discretionary with the postmaster general will be omitted, and an appropriation of ten million dollars will be made to cover the expense. Thus the present ridiculous manner of doling out government favors will be done away with, and fifth rate towns will no longer get first class buildings. Seventy-seven Ohio towns will profit by this act.

The Great Kanawha river, in West Virginia, has had its appropriation increased to three hundred and fifty thousand dollars, by the river and harbor committee. No one who has travelled through that wonderful country covered with virgin forest, underlaid with coal and stone and iron, and surrounded on all sides by thickly settled States, will be surprised at this act. No State in the Union has poorer facilities for carrying on commerce and more greater possibilities. We have spent billions to draw the western territories into our range, while in our very midst there stands an almost unknown country, abounding in all the materials of which we are in need and of whose very existence we have been unaware. West Virginia has a remarkable future.

THE DOG QUESTION.

The question of the hour is, do the dogs of Massillon, whose annual contribution to the county treasury is less than four hundred dollars, own the parks, or the people who pay the thousands of dollars. Are our park commissioners to be vilified and insulted because they are doing their duty and trying to bring the bits of ground into the condition they ought to be, and is the council to escape censure for having failed to give their commissioners any help whatsoever, for the purpose of watching and protecting these spots?

Apparently the dogs have the upper hand. Last night they destroyed a handsome flower bed, and no one knows how soon they will destroy all the others. So long has this sort of squatter sovereignty been permitted that not only the dogs, but many of their masters, look upon it as a right divine, instead of a nuisance to be abated summarily. Persons who own good dogs should keep them where they belong. They have no more right to expect them to be exempt from punishment when they destroy public property than when they destroy private, nor more right to allow them to roam on public grounds than to allow their horses to do the same. And the attempt to saddle the responsibility of the death of every worthless cur in town upon commissioners whose jurisdiction covers two squares is mean and unfair. We don't want any fences. We have reason to demand that this evil shall be corrected from the root, not by walling it out.

The issuance of the notorious dog proclamation is all nonsense. The park commissioners did not make the law, nor can they enforce it until the council wakes to its duty. The dog law is an old one, and it is the work of the city officials to enforce it. There is no more reason for proclaiming the law than for publishing the fact that highway robbery will be punished. An ancient governor of Manhattan once fought wars with proclamations, and strangely, too, he was always whipped. Well, the dogs whipped us last night. When the council returns from its jaunt to Wheeling, it should get down to business, and not only say that the dogs must vacate the parks, but place policemen in them to see that they are vacated.

The latest crop estimates do not change the general opinion that the yield of wheat throughout the country will not reach more than fifty per cent. of the average amount. In ten counties in Ohio the acreage of corn planted this spring is one hundred and nine per cent. as compared with the average acreage. Meanwhile the market rises and the farmer accepts the inevitable in the uncompromising manner that characterizes him.

Of all the presidential candidates, General Alger is making the most thorough canvass, and if you do not believe it, come and see the bushels of documents that pour in from Detroit every other week. After all, there is something admirable in a man frankly announcing himself as an aspirant, and honestly and openly placing his cause in the hands of the people.

The saloon keepers throughout Ohio are preparing to still the Sunday gurgles of the soda fountain and block the wheel of the merry milk shaker. They claim that if they do evil in stealing away men's brains, the "soft drink" sellers do just as bad in stealing away men's stomachs.

Granite blocks would make very nice streets, but until we are willing to shoulder a debt of a million or so, we had better confine ourselves to fire brick, which is certainly more pleasant to ride upon and decidedly more easy to pay for than granite.

In a number of suburban cities, the ladies have formed local improvement societies, and devote their efforts to the advancement of tree planting, and all that sort of thing, on the public highways.

In the Atlanta Constitution's last weekly issue, its department devoted to the local news of Dixie, was two-thirds of it regarding murders, suicides, and duels.

With cheerful regularity the board of education meets and solemnly discusses and reports no progress on the new building project.

THE COUNCIL.

FILLS UP THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

And Decides to go to Wheeling—The Appointment of Park Police-men Forgotten.

[From Thursday's Daily.]

Mr. Volkmar was the only one absent from the council meeting last night. The street commissioner's reports for the weeks ending May 5 and 19, and amounting to \$49.90 and \$50.50, were accepted.

The paving and grading committee reported the bid of Russell, Diefenbacher & Young for paving as the lowest. They offered to lay hard stone crossings for twenty two and one-half cents per foot, and flagging for fifteen cents. The contract was awarded. Anthony Clemens was the lowest bidder on other stone work. He offered to put in new curbing at nineteen cents a foot, to reset old curbing for two cents per foot and redress the same for one cent per foot. John Miller was the lowest bidder for grading. He offered to find all material and grade for twenty-two cents per yard, and to repair old gutters for nine cents per yard. Reasons were advanced why contracts should not be awarded to these latter bidders, and further consideration of their propositions was postponed until the next meeting.

J. A. Hanlon reported that he had given the stakes for the proper street line on East Tremont street.

Solicitor Young presented a communication from the Ohio Meteorological Bureau. This bureau is desirous of sending the weather predictions furnished by the United States signal service to this city, each morning. The probable cost will be ten cents for each report and the expense of the necessary flags. On motion this was laid over until the next meeting.

An ordinance was introduced prohibiting the keeping of pigs within the city limits, except by permission of the board of health. The maximum penalty for each violation is twenty-five dollars fine and twenty-five days in jail. On motion, the rules were suspended, and the ordinance was read three times and passed.

Mr. Jarvis moved that the two vacancies in the board of equalization be filled by Henry Gribble, E. B. Upham, W. A. Wade, M. King, George Scheer, W. S. S. Rogers, James Miller, D. F. Reinhold, and John McKean were nominated, and the election proceeded by ballot. After three ballots, Henry Gribble was elected, having received five votes. The grind began again, and after four more W. S. S. Rogers was also elected.

Dr. Bierwine made an eloquent speech in German, which, being translated, was to the effect that if he could not have light and water out his way, in the western part of the city, he wanted his house and lot stricken out from the corporation. He lives on Washington avenue. His petition was referred.

Mr. Jarvis moved that Dr. T. C. Miller be invited to accompany the council to Wheeling. Mr. Boerner moved to amend by extending an invitation to the mayor, marshal, chief of fire department and the press, but at their own expense, which motion to amend prevailed, and ere this the statesmen and their friends are studying the paving system of Wheeling.

Mr. Boerner moved that all residents on Cherry street, from Mill to Akron, who have not yet done so, be ordered to lay flagging and set curbing, within sixty days. Carried.

Mr. Clutz moved that the persons residing upon Wooster street, who have not yet completed their sidewalk improvements as ordered, be notified to do so forthwith. Carried.

BILLS PAID.

P. G. Albright	\$68.30
Park Commissioners	113.00
Massillon Gas Company	21.00
W. Castleman	21.50
John Miller	19.50
Fred Rose	25.00
J. B. Snyder and others	103.00
Shaw, Kendall & Co.	103.35
J. Weisenbaugh	75.00
J. S. K. Smith	75.00
George Bergeon	75.00
J. A. Hanlon	60.00
Louis Limbach	100.00

The council then adjourned for two weeks.

THE COLOR LINE IN SCHOOLS.

One who Received Instruction with Colored Children in 1839.

MR. EDITOR:—In a recent issue of THE INDEPENDENT, "Quincy," in an article called forth by the reception of Mr. R. A. Pinn on his return from the G. A. R. encampment at Toledo, gave your readers some interesting reminiscences of ante-bellum days, when this was a "white man's government." After referring to Mr. Pinn's exclusion from the public schools in this township, he adds, "Until the adoption of the fifteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States, colored children could not be, nor were, admitted to the public schools in this city." Admitting that they could be excluded by law, the fact remains that colored children did attend the public schools of this city for years before the adoption of the fifteenth amendment. In the winter of 1839-40, and for a number of years thereafter, the winter hereof was a pupil in the Massillon schools, during all of which time colored children attended, and were granted all the privileges accorded to white scholars. As the amendment does not refer to did not become a part of the constitution until the 30th of March 1870, there are doubtless many who can substantiate what is here stated.

Dr. Lindsey's "Blood Searcher" will cure dandruff, scurf, boils, itchy skin, sore eyes and bald head. Try it.

THE INFIRMARY.

TWO INTERESTING ARTICLES BY DR. VON SCHNEIDER.

Describing the Various Departments of the Institution.

[Monday's Daily.]

MR. EDITOR:—It is with almost unbounded pleasure that I respond to your request to relate my experience in, and observations of, the Stark county infirmary. I hardly know where to begin, as the first part of my experience there passed so rapidly that my mental vision is almost entirely blank. My senses (a sentiment, no doubt, shared by some of my custodians). But I will not dwell on my personal feelings, except as they were exercised upon by the surroundings, which you have desired me to describe.

We rattled up to the front of the main building with such such celerity as to preclude any inspection, and were ushered into the reception room, a nice, cozy little apartment, neatly, although not gorgeously appointed, where we found a gentleman whom I have since learned to look upon as about the jolliest, as well as the kindest, specimen of the *genus homo* it was ever my good fortune to encounter. I allude to Mr. J. W. Pontius, superintendent of the infirmary. There was also present his assistant, Mr. Zimmerman, the terror of evil doers, but without kind to a degree. Here the officers took leave of me, and I was turned over to the tender mercies of Dr. Conklin, physician in charge, whom I have since learned to regard with sentiments of the most profound respect, both as a gentleman of culture and refinement and a "mighty man of medicine." I speak of him as I found him, in both capacities. What others failed to do for me in months (and I have solicited the aid of half a dozen without any except detrimental results), Dr. Conklin accomplished in about twelve hours. *Terribilis satis.*

I was placed in a grated cell, and I presume a watch set over me, but I think that watchman's position that night must have proven somewhat of a sinecure, as friend Morpheus claimed me wholly for his own, and when morning dawned at last, and the "big bell" sounded the tocsin for hungry stomachs to come and do battle with the viands, I wondered if I too, should be allowed to "single in the fray," but no, my share was "brought me on a trencher," and such was my ardor for the conflict, that I soon routed the enemy, "horse, foot and artillery." Next came the doctor again, who, after mature deliberation, turned me out in the cold world to enjoy myself as best I might. I now had an opportunity of inspecting my surroundings, and very neat ones they were. The main building is in the form of a hollow square, with one side left out, and contains on the first floor the superintendent's apartments, the main dining room and kitchen, as well as the parlors and reception room. The latter is situated between the two side elevations and joining the front of the edifice. The other side, the smoking room and double apartments for the married, as well as some single ones for the decrepit who are incapacitated from "climbing the golden stairs" to the regions above: the latter is devoted to the more fortunate of the females. Passing on the return trip on the second floor to the front, we find it the scene of family disturbances, being the domicile of the superintendent—in other words, their home.

Next, passing along into the side elevation (second floor still) the explorer finds himself in the main sleeping apartment for the single men, in one corner of which is the memorable cell occupied by the writer, the latter (large room and cell) having an exit in the rear, which would serve as a good fire escape in case of necessity, although every precaution has been instituted by Mr. Pontius in the way of watchmen and I don't know what all. We now find ourselves in the main court yard, which is paved with brick and in which is a well of pure, cold water, intended for cooking and drinking purposes, and accessible from all parts of the edifice. But I think I am spinning my story out to an unusual length and will, therefore, conclude, promising to reveal further in the near future, for as the queen of Sheba is reported to have said after relating the particulars of her visit to King Solomon, "the half has not yet been told." Respectfully,
VON SCHNEIDER.

[From Wednesday's Daily.]

Immediately in the rear of the main building, described in my last communication, is the wash house, in two compartments, one for the men, the other for the women, both kept neat and clean, as one might imagine, with plenty of soft water suitable for ablutions. It is the duty of some one appointed for the purpose to attend to the filling of the tanks, changing of towels, &c. The visitor now passes down a nicely paved brick path to the laundry, the machinery of which is driven by a neat little engine, of which the polished parts are kept as bright as silver. There are two rooms, ample in dimension and perfectly ventilated, one for washing, the other for ironing. In the wash room are two large square tubs, each containing four plungers. There are no mighty heaps of coal or ashes to offend even the most fastidious eye, all being stowed snugly away, I did not discover where. The drying is done out of doors, and it would make a Massillon washerwoman's back ache to see the display depending from the clothes lines.

The visitor is next invited to inspect the slaughter house. It has been the

writer's fortune to enter and observe many slaughter houses, where his nostrils were assailed by a vagabond dog into the next county. No such disgusting manifestations are observable here, all presenting a neat and cleanly appearance and emitting the true fresh meat odor. In the next room, a refrigerator, ice cream might be made without the usual utensils. It is positively a freezer, and its contents present the appearance they would in one of our city meat markets on one of the coldest days in mid-winter. The next apartment is the creamery, and of all the displays I ever witnessed in this line, the Stark county infirmary takes the lead. Where the churning is done I did not discover.

Next comes "the cave" where the vegetables and fruits are stored. I did not enter it, and therefore cannot describe the internal arrangements. Then come the barns—three old and one splendid, large and new. I did not enter the "horse bed rooms," but externally they present altogether a very imposing appearance, especially the latter, which I was given to understand was, together with all the other new buildings, erected under the personal supervision of Superintendent Pontius. I now come to the largest and grandest structure of all, viz., the retreat for the hopelessly insane. What a grand idea it is to provide for those poor, afflicted creatures some in infancy and so on up into the "sear and yellow leaf." And what nobleness of heart is evinced by the propagation of so God-like an act as the bestowal of the best domicile and living upon those absolutely helpless! It is a study and well worth contemplation. The asylum under inspection probably excels in size, beauty of construction, and both inside and outside decoration, any county institution in the State, unless perhaps it may be that of Hamilton. On approaching the edifice, one is struck by its imposing external appearance. It is surrounded by a spacious lawn, neatly trimmed, and dotted here and there with uniquely shaped beds of the choicest exotics, which at this season of the year are mostly in full bloom, presenting the appearance of the true Arcadia. The lawn is laid out in nicely graded serpentine promenades, which so intersect each other at different points as to render them a complete maze, bewildering in the extreme but withal, beautiful beyond expression. We enter the building through the imposing front porch and find ourselves in a sort of lobby. Reception rooms right and left, furnished with every comfort art and the carpenter could suggest and execute.

Having concluded our inspection of these, we proceed up the stairs to accomplish the real object of our visit, viz., to satisfy our curiosity as to the appearance, habits and everyday life of the hopelessly insane. On what a mournful sight is now presented! The temple of the soul bereft of reason, although, as the Christian world admits, amenable to the laws of an ethical well spent life. As we ascend the black stair, black-lustered, with black and meaning-laden glances. The lights are extinguished, all without is darkness. Yet they have their joys, (such poor ones as they are) as well as sorrows. Meaningless as they are to us, their words may portend to them great issues, their foolish antics grand results. One will imagine it his province to christianize the world; another to demolish it. Some poor and faded female smiles, ogles and then giggles when she sees she has attracted your attention. One poor young girl approached me, touched my arm, and when I looked down in her sad, but lovely eyes, she gazed long and earnestly into mine, then deeply sighing, she slowly shook her head, let it fall upon her breast and then clasping her hands above it, slowly turned and walked away. From that moment, as long as I remained beneath that roof, I spoke with bated breath and looked with reverence on its inmates, for it seemed as though my feet were treading upon holy ground, and when at last I left the building and once more inhaled God's pure life giving atmosphere, it seemed as if I had passed from the blackness of darkness into another world. (Oh why is nature so unequal, so uneven! Why one creature sink beneath a load of sorrow, care and misery, while his nearest neighbor rides atop the wave of pleasure and content! But so it is and ever must be, I suppose.)

But there are bright spots as well as dark shades in the lives of those poor creatures. In the evening I was invited by Mr. Pontius to witness a ball at the insane asylum. I was shocked and could not forbear expressing my astonishment, but he only smiled at my simplicity and requested me to follow. As we entered the great hall where the poor girls' sorrow had so moved my heart to pity, a loud shout of welcome greeted our ears and a grand rush was made to the first to shake the hands of the only man who could, by holding up his finger, silence the most boisterous, or by a twinkle of his mirth-provoking eye induce the most intense hilarity. The "reelings over, Mr. Pontius gave the word. The music started up a lively jig, off went the shoes, and in some cases, stockings, too; the dance began, and all went "merry as a marriage bell." But all was decorous. The music seemed to charm away the gloom as the advent of the superintendent seemed to send a thrill of pleasure through the throng. At half past 10 all took leave of us and filed away to their respective places of repose. There is but one thing I could suggest to Mr. Pontius by means of which to place the Stark county infirmary on a footing with the best, and that is a sorrowful contentment. That was something I failed to see, with the exception of the poor insane girl. Respectfully,
VON SCHNEIDER.

The Harmonia band stole near the residence of Mr. E. Gleitsman, on South Erie street, last night, and honored the hen of the household, Mr. E. H. Gleitsman, with a serenade. As it was his twenty-first birthday and as he is a member of the band, the appropriateness of the courtesy is apparent. After the serenade, all went inside and had such a good time that they did not leave until late.

MEMORIAL DAY MATTERS.

List of Officers and Committees Appointed.

A few changes have been made in the officers and committees, as published last week. Following is the revised list, reported by the committee on arrangements:

To Host Post, No. 134, G. A. R.:

COMMADE—Your committee on arrangements for Memorial day services respectfully report that the following officers and committees have been appointed:

President of the day—Hon. John G. Warwick.

Vice President—Jos. Coleman.

Chief Marshal—J. H. Hunt.

1st Assistant Marshal—S. M. Knapp.

2d Assistant Marshal—R. B. Crawford.

Reception Committee—J. G. Warwick,

J. W. McClymonds and E. A. Jones.

Finance Committee—Jonas Lutz, Henry Huber and Wm. Jones.

Committee on Flowers—E. D. Doxsee,

Jonas Lutz and C. W. Moody.

Committee on Stands—G. R. Cannon,

Geo. Squires and E. Cunningham.

Committee on Decoration—Jas. A. Hackett, Mrs. C. Russell and Mrs. Chas. Higginbotham.

Committee on Invitation—R. A. Pinn,

Josiah Frantz and John Leu.

Committee on Evergreens—D. M. Merrill, Geo. Wagner and Chas. Stroble.

Committee on Wreaths—Daniel Ritter,

Camp No. 24 Sons of Veterans and Mrs. Maj. McKinley Tent, No. 1, Daughters of Veterans.

Committee on Vocal Music—F. F. Acock and Thos. M. Richards.

General Committee of Arrangements—

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TWO STATESMEN SPEAK.

RANDALL AND MCKINLEY SPEAK AGAINST THE TARIFF BILL.

Heavy Blows Administered to the Free Trade Contingent in the House of Representatives—The Most Exciting Day in the House Since the Debate Began.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The house was crowded with spectators to listen to Samuel J. Randall's speech on the Mills tariff bill. He began by reading a portion of the president's message, and drawing therefrom the inference that the president was averse to any reduction of internal revenue taxation, and desired the whole reduction of taxation to fall upon the tariff.



He said that the president's message on these points was a blow to the free trade contingent, and that it was a blow to the free trade contingent, and that it was a blow to the free trade contingent.

Mr. Randall's voice became so inaudible that many shouted "Louder."

Proceeding to the expiration of his hour's time, he said, "The gentleman's time has expired," and he was made. Mr. Randall's disapproval was pronounced. There were cries of "Go out, go out!"

Mr. Randall walked down the aisle and shouted "Hush!"

Moans and cries of "Oh!" "Oh!" "Don't!" "Don't!" came from both sides of the house and members looked toward the chairman of ways and means and begged him to withdraw his objection and permit Mr. Randall to proceed, but Mr. Mills was inexorable. Mr. Randall asked, as a personal favor, that he be given a few minutes more.

"No, I will not withdraw any objections," said Mr. Mills. "I must draw the line, and draw it here."

At this there was groans, hisses and exclamations.

In the midst of the confusion Mr. McKinley, who followed Mr. Randall, arose and said he would give the gentleman from Pennsylvania fifteen minutes out of his, Mr. McKinley's, time. This was received with tremendous applause.

Mr. Breckenridge, of Kentucky, who follows Mr. McKinley, then proposed to give an equal amount of time from his hour, and Mr. Randall resumed. He analyzed the metal schedule of the Mills bill and declared it would bring about incalculable injury to the industries of America. He could find nothing in the bill which gave a return for free wool. He found many inequalities in it and discovered a few features intended to relieve the poor or the laboring man.

He pleaded with his Democratic friends to not undo the good which has been done to the manufacturing industries by the protective tariff, and read from Jefferson, Monroe and other Democratic forefathers, to prove that protection was a fundamental Democratic principle. He closed with a tribute to the results and principles of protection, and asked that they be maintained.

Mr. Randall concluded his speech at 1:35, and he was followed by Mr. McKinley, of Ohio.

Mr. McKinley opened his speech with the declaration that the country was in an anomalous situation. While we were seeking to find objects to relieve from taxation and other nations were engaged in exploring the fields of human enterprise and human production to find new objects of taxation, all were agreed that taxation should be reduced, the only contention being as to the manner of that reduction.

He sharply contrasted the "tariff for revenue" policy of the Democrats and the "tariff for protection" policy of the Republicans. He maintained that the one meant a free admission to this country of foreign goods which could be produced here, whenever the line of excessive revenue was reached and consequently the destruction of American industries. The other meant protection as well as revenue, it meant the stimulation to our industries and the production of our labor in the fruits of its works; there were many illustrations of the Democratic doctrine in the bill. Wool was one of them. Cotton bugging was another. The bill meant that Calcutta and Dundee should supply us with cotton bugging and the countries of the east with wool. The Democrats since December had been letting our own people take care of themselves and trying to legislate for other and foreign peoples.

A MEDICAL STUDENT'S CRIME.

To Pursue His Studies, He Robs a Grave and is Convicted.

THIRD, May 19.—The case against Dr. W. H. Wilson and H. G. Blaine, indicted for robbing the grave of Mrs. Della Bowen, near Athens, September 10, 1886, was brought to a conclusion here, Thursday, by Dr. Wilson pleading guilty and Dr. Blaine's indictment being nolledd. Wilson was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary, and Blaine worked forth a free man. Wilson was a poor boy when he was taken from an almshouse and reared by a farmer near Athens. He studied for a physician, and, to secure to himself, he committed the crime for which he now suffers. At Athens the general opinion is that he was but a cat's paw in the hands of some villain who has been engaged in the notorious work for years.

A Dentist Shuffles Off.

PITTSBURGH, May 19.—Dr. James Orr, a prominent dentist of the First Ward, committed suicide by his office at midnight by taking a dose of cyanide of potassium.

The Defense a Good One.

PORTSMOUTH, O., May 19.—M. Schloss was bound over to court yesterday by Mayor Farley for selling groceries on Sunday. Being an Israelite he closed Saturday, which will be his defense.

CHAIRMAN MILLS ELATED.

THE END OF THE DEBATE ON HIS TARIFF BILL THE CAUSE.

He is of the Opinion That There Will be Several Votes to Spare on the Final Passage of the Bill—The Overloading of Vessels in the Great Lakes—Other Notes.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—At a meeting of the committee on ways and means to-day it was unanimously agreed that the tariff bill should be set aside until Wednesday at least, and that appropriation bills should have the floor.

Chairman Mills says he is glad the general debate on his tariff bill is ended. Had a vote been taken three weeks ago he believes the measure would have been defeated. Since the state conventions have been held, however, several gentlemen have changed their positions, and now Mr. Mills thinks there will be several votes to spare on the final passage of the bill.

In explanation of his objection to extending Mr. Randall's time last Friday, Mr. Mills says he objected because Messrs. McKimley and Randall violated an express agreement previously made as to when and how long he should speak, and that, during his (Mr. Mills) absence from the house.

For at least a week the house will give the tariff bill a rest and turn attention to appropriation bills. In the meantime efforts will be made by the leaders of both parties to come to some understanding respecting a final vote on the bill as it now stands. The proposition made to the Republicans by Mr. Mills that they offer a substitute on which a vote is to be taken, then if that is voted down, that a final vote shall be taken on the Mills bill, has been seriously considered, and a large part of the Republicans are inclined to accept the proposition. It is understood that Mr. Randall has given assurance that the proposition of Mr. Mills, if accepted, will defeat the bill because a sufficient number of Democratic voters have been pledged against the bill as it stands.

An Ohio Democrat, who has paid particular attention to the course of the tariff debate, said this morning that if a vote is taken on the bill, in its present condition, twelve Democrats, including Mr. Randall, will be found recorded against it. He would not name the gentlemen, but said they would be from the following states: New York, two from Connecticut, two from New Jersey, one from Ohio, one from South Carolina, and possibly one from Georgia.

The supporters of the bill believe enough Republican votes will be secured to more than offset any defections.

The Overloading of Vessels.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—In response to a resolution calling for information on the subject, the secretary of the treasury sent to the house to-day reports from Supervising Inspector Gen. Dumont, and the commissioner of navigation on the unloading of vessels on the great lakes. Gen. Dumont states that during last year but one vessel, the Vernon, was supposed to have been lost by overloading. Inasmuch as all but one of the forty-two passengers were lost, and no official report of the disaster was made it is not surely known that the loss of the Vernon was actually due to overloading. Gen. Dumont states further that there is no statutory law against overloading vessels on the lakes, but that the board of navigation has promulgated a set of rules which, if properly enforced, would prevent trouble in that direction.

Knights of the Golden Eagle.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The supreme castle of the Knights of the Golden Eagle will begin its annual convention in this city, at Golden Eagle hall, to-morrow. By that time it is estimated there will be nearly ten thousand strangers in the city. The first to arrive were the Massachusetts commanderies numbering several hundred men. They reached the depot at 10:30 this morning. The True Knights commandery of Philadelphia, with J. J. Reagan in command, have also arrived, and every train brings in reinforcements.

Will Go to Germantown.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The president and Mrs. Cleveland will leave here on Wednesday next for Germantown, Pa., where they will spend a day or so as the guests of Rev. Charles Wood. On Thursday evening they will attend a reception to be given the delegates to the Presbyterian general assembly.

Will Preserve the Old Arsenal.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The senate has passed a bill appropriating \$17,500 for making fire proof the west end of the Smithsonian institution, for the protection of a valuable collection of armor used in the middle ages. The collection comprises 1,000 pieces and is a gift of an American abroad.

Mrs. Senator Sawyer Dead.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Mrs. Senator Sawyer died suddenly this morning. The senator was at the capital at the time of his wife's death. The lady has been an invalid for a long time.

NASHVILLE'S INTERSTATE DRILL.

The Finest Military Parade in the South Since the War—Program.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 22.—The interstate drill began this morning with the first military parade seen in the south since the war. The city is gorgeously decorated, and the military made a grand display. The First Regiment band of Cincinnati is the big feature.

Stole the Assembly's Charter.

New York, May 22.—James L. Quinn, master workman of District Assembly No. 49, Knights of Labor, was Sunday adjudged guilty of contempt by the judge advocate court of that district and notified of that court's mandate suspending him for one month. Quinn immediately seized the charter of the assembly and carried it away with him. Without the charter the assembly can hold no legal meetings and the members are puzzled to know how to proceed. The matter will probably find its way into the courts.

Cornerstone Exercises at Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 22.—Several thousand people participated Sunday in the ceremonies incident to laying the cornerstone of the new St. Vincent's hospital, the building to cost \$110,000. Right Rev. Bishop Chatard officiated, assisted by Vicar-General Besolmes, and there were addresses by Governor Isaac P. Gray and ex-Governor Albert G. Porter.

MILITARY PREPARATIONS.

OF RUSSIA THE SUBJECT OF MUCH TALK IN EUROPE.

Austria Hurrying Troops to the Frontier. The Bulgarians and Roumanians Becoming Restless—A Change in Germany's Tactics—The Papal Decree—Foreign.

LONDON, May 22.—The colossal military preparations in progress in Russia are still the theme of general conversation and speculation in most of the European capitals. Austria has at last awakened to the obvious intention of her big neighbor to reap the harvest in the Balkans, the seeds of which her agents planted some time ago and have since assiduously cultivated, and is hurrying troops forward to the Gallican frontier with feverish haste, and the early breaking out of hostilities on the borders would surprise no one acquainted with the situation and the evident anxiety of the Russian troops to exchange camp, garrison and barracks duty for active service.

A considerable portion of the Russian army on the Gallican frontier has been in its present position for more than a year and both the officers and the men comprising this force are reported to be weary of waiting and impatient to begin the fray they all know to be inevitable.

Meanwhile the people of Bulgaria and Roumania are becoming more restless daily and indications of a speedy occurrence of the outbreak which shall be regarded by the czar as provocation for Russian interference and permanent occupation of the disturbed territory are multiplying rapidly.

Revolts are reported to have taken place in several Bulgarian towns Sunday and on Saturday, in two cases at least with the result of putting the troops sent to quell the disturbances to flight. It is also said that a change of public sentiment is rapidly taking place in Sofia, evidence of which was had in the manifest aversion of enthusiasm for Prince Ferdinand on the occasion of his return to the capital from his tour of the country.

The Russian agents charged with the duty of fomenting discord among the people of the Balkans have done their work thoroughly, and its sequel will undoubtedly be a Russian invasion of the disturbed districts within a very short time.

No Hope of Peace at Vienna.

VIENNA, May 22.—Preparations are now being made for the transfer of all regiments now in quarters for frontier defense. No hope of peace is either expected or hoped for here. This is confirmed by the announcement that Russia has effected her loan from the French Comptoir d'Escompte for \$44,000,000, of which \$15,000,000 are paid down and the balance is due in the fall. Not only is there great activity in military affairs but everywhere along the frontier, and in fact in all quarters of the east, Austro-Hungarian agents are watching the emigrations of Russia; so it comes to be reported that the wonderful increase in the number of pilgrims to the monasteries of St. Athanasius is due to the arrival of Russian soldiers in disguise. These are estimated at 10,000, provided it is assumed with secreted arms and ready at any moment to march into Macedonia, which, it is said, along with Monastir and Albania, is encouraged by Greece, and ready to rise in revolt against Turkey, when Russia is ready to move upon Bulgaria. From the same source comes the report that masked batteries are being rapidly constructed by Russia along the Black sea for the defense of Odessa.

Change in Germany.

BERLIN, May 22.—The publication of the decree ordering reprisals in return for obstacles put in the way of German entering France signed by the emperor before Prince Bismarck started for Varzin was explained in the hope that France would be delayed in the case of Lithuania, the German commercial traveler who was refused permission to journey in France, and guarantee that similar cases shall not occur.

There is a decided increase of the friction between these two governments, and the semi-official journals have evidently been released from the restrictions placed upon them in regard to Russia. In fact it is stated that Bismarck has suddenly ceased all efforts to conciliate Russia, and it is rumored that the tariff on Russian goods imported into Germany is about to be raised 50 per cent. Certain it is that the government has created the post of military attaché to the German embassy at Bucharest, and has nominated Capt. Miller for the position.

The Pope Condemned.

DUBLIN, May 22.—A great assembly in Phoenix park, yesterday, adopted the following resolution: The citizens of Dublin, in meeting assembled, cordially endorse and adopt in their integrity the resolutions of the Irish Catholic members of parliament with reference to the late circular of the holy office of inquisition, and respectfully decline to recognize any right in the holy see to interfere with the Irish people in the management of Irish political affairs.

There were 6,000 people present, but no priests.

The Pope Thanked.

LONDON, May 22.—The Post's Rome correspondent reports that the Irish bishops have forwarded to the Vatican a collective letter thanking the pope for having promulgated the decree against the plan of campaign and for his distinction between the National and the religious question.

Foreign Notes.

Five hundred persons have been drowned by floods in Mesopotamia.

In a conflagration at Calcutta, in Galicia, 400 houses and the public buildings of the town have been burned.

Empress Frederick continues to improve. Dr. Mackenzie still maintains that the complete recovery of his august patient is not yet among the impossibilities.

To Hancock's Memory.

General Hancock's monument has been erected by Maj. Bagelow and several other gentlemen on the spot where Gen. Hancock was wounded during Pickett's charge. It is of granite, with a total height eight feet six inches, and bears on the front the inscription: "Major General Winfield Scott Hancock, wounded July 3, 1863, and on the rear face 'Erected by Comrades and Friends.'"

A Celestial Wanderer.

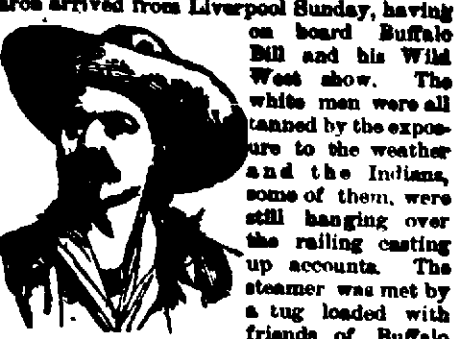
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 22.—The tail of a large comet was discovered in the northwest sky Sunday evening, its direction being downward and north. The tail was very broad at first, but gradually narrowed, while the light from it increased. No astronomical calculations were made.

Two Cases of Smallpox in New York.

New York, May 22.—Alberta Cardoux, a child living at 210 Sullivan street, and Kate, a girl thirteen years of age, were removed to the smallpox hospital Sunday, both suffering from that disease.

BUFFALO BILL HOME AGAIN.

Several of His Braves Fall Up On Fire—Water and are Put in from.



New York, May 22.—The Ferdinand Monarch arrived from Liverpool Sunday, having on board Buffalo Bill and his Wild West show. The white men were all tanned by the exposure to the weather and the Indians, some of them, were still hanging over the railing casting up accounts. The steamer was met by a tug loaded with friends of Buffalo Bill, and the brass band which had been hired by the reception committee gave them the best music that they had in their horns. The steamer steamed up to Staten Island, where the whole show disembarked and went direct to the summer show grounds at Erastina. It appears that before sailing from Liverpool some well-meaning English friends distributed some fire-water and Spotted Eagle, Flat Iron, Eat a Heap, and Hoop-o'-Bears gave the police a great deal of trouble, and on board Cu Mon, Hairy Bird and Seven Up had to be put in irons until they got sober. Red Shirt and Cut Grass have acquired quite an English vocabulary. Sunday afternoon they held their own with the custom house officials in their powerful rendering of blood red vernacular.

Inaugurated at Baton Rouge.

BATON ROUGE, La., May 22.—Governor Francis T. Nichols and Lieutenant Governor James Jeffers were inaugurated with impressive ceremonies. A great crowd witnessed the inauguration. After the proceedings had terminated the new officials held a levee and reception which was attended by many of the most prominent people of the southern aristocracy.

A Colossal Institution.

Very few of the many people who everywhere see and read the advertisements of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, Pleasant Purgative Pellets and Favorite Prescription, know that the Doctor, whose name is so used as the trade mark and guarantee of efficiency, is at the head of one of the most reliable and carefully systematized medical institutions in the world. It is located in the City of Buffalo, where, in separate, though adjoining buildings of giant proportions, invalids are received and cared for, and his far-famed medicines manufactured and packed for shipment.

The establishment is known to the whole civilized world as the World's Dispensary and Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute; and some little idea of the magnitude of its operations may be gathered from the significant fact that contracts with Eight Thousand newspapers supply the public with advertisements of its universally admitted excellence as a health resort, and also of the time-attested virtues of its curatives. Two hundred and fifty operatives daily lend their utmost efforts to the good work, and under a system of perfect discipline, which makes a visit to the hotel and dispensary a matter of pleasure and astonishment.

The hotel structure is the first one inspected by the visitor, and presents a picture and fulfillment of sound comfort and luxury which almost engenders a distaste for robust health and a desire to convalesce in the midst of such luxurious surroundings, for all time to come. Splendidly decorated and elegantly furnished reception and reading rooms and parlors, together with handsome offices and wide halls, grace the ground floor, which is surmounted by an array of superbly equipped sleeping apartments, Turkish baths, ladies' parlors, and all the numberless features that go to create a veritable palace of health and comfort. Eighteen prominent physicians and surgeons are in permanent attendance.

By the time that the visitor reaches the open passageway which connects the Hotel and Surgical Institute with the World's Dispensary building, he will have become inured to the elegancies of the establishment and be in condition to express no surprise at anything he may see. He, however, will certainly hear and see enough to astonish anyone unacquainted with the minutiae of this noble institution.

On the fifth floor we find the immense Laboratory, peopled with careful chemists and an army of assistants actively engaged in the preparation of the "Golden Medical Discovery," "Favorite Prescription," and other world-famed preparations, which are transmitted by a perfect system of tubing to the bottling and packing department in the great basement of the structure. Leaving the Laboratory, you see everywhere the matchless swiftness and dexterity of skilled labor, and listen to the song of ponderous steam-powers, grinders and mixers. Fourteen large printing presses and innumerable folding, pasting and trimming machines, that yield ready obedience to the fingers of scores of young ladies, who conduct this industry as a means of comfortable livelihood, assured them on a basis of short hours and good pay, are also marked features of the establishment.

The career of Dr. Pierce shows just how rapidly and surely a man can mount the rocky steep of success when the dual forces of perseverance and skill are always at his command.

This grand institution as it stands to-day, an honor to the science of medicine and surgery, and a blessing to humanity, is one that every citizen of the States has a perfect and legitimate right to feel a pride and interest in. It is a great enterprise and is skillfully performing a great work, and we honor ourselves in recommending its many excellencies to public attention and inspection.

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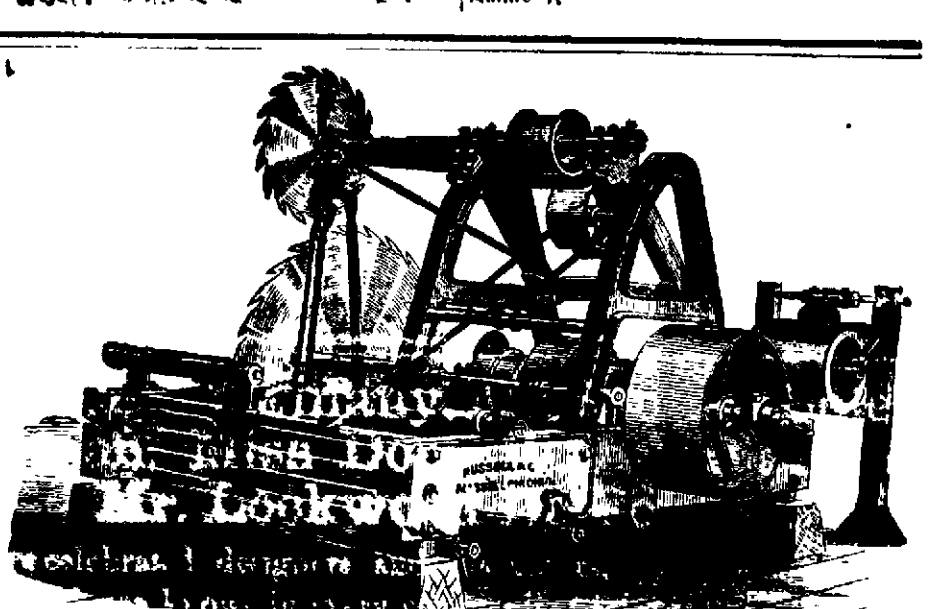


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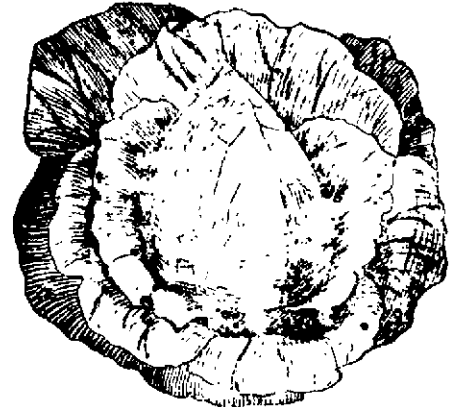
FARM AND GARDEN.

TIMELY TOPICS CONSIDERED IN A PRACTICAL MANNER.

Requirements of the Cabbage Plant—Necessity for its Rapid Growth—Varieties That Have Gained Widespread Popularity Among Gardeners and Consumers.

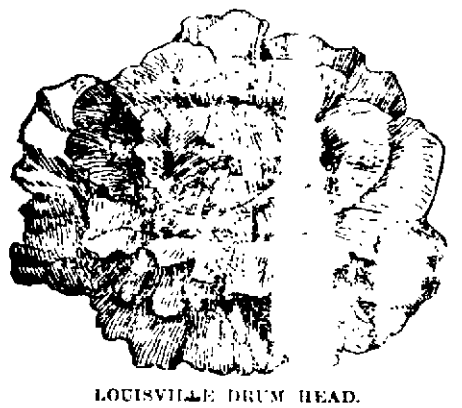
The cabbage requires a deep, rich soil and thorough working. Some of the large late varieties seem to do best if the seed is sown in the hills where they are to remain, and in that case sow two or three seeds where each plant is desired and then pull up all but the strongest. Plant the large varieties three feet apart, the small early sorts, from a foot to eighteen inches. The Savoy cabbages have wrinkled leaves and are of fine flavor, especially after a little frost has touched them in the autumn.

Insects have been exceedingly troublesome to cabbage in many sections of late years, and growers are obliged to try for a rapid growth and wage a constant warfare against the enemy.



JERSEY EARLY WAKEFIELD.

In the cuts are shown two popular varieties. The first of these, the Jersey Early Wakefield, is a great favorite with market gardeners for the New York market, being the earliest, sure to head and true to seed. The second, the Louisville Drumhead, is a variety grown largely by market gardeners in the southwest. It stands hot weather better than most other sorts, and is a sure cropper and resembles Premium Flat Dutch.



LOUISVILLE DRUM HEAD.

Among new and superior varieties is the All Seasons. It is very sure heading, of excellent quality and may be planted early or late, as it forms large and very solid heads quickly.

Sweet Potatoes.

The sweet potato is extremely sensitive to frost and, except in the south, its season must be prolonged by means of the hot bed. No other plan than sprouting and setting the plants is now thought of by experienced growers. It succeeds well on nearly any soil that can be easily drained, but not on a wet one of any description. Alluvial and peaty soils are not adapted to it.

The Southern Queen is the earliest of all sweet potatoes; the root is very large and longer than the Nansemond, of light color, with excellent keeping qualities. The Hanover, or improved Nansemond variety, is a favorite in Virginia, and the yellow Nansemond is preferred by many to all other kinds.

Artificial Manures.

Results obtained with artificial fertilizers and especially with what are known as "complete manures," are often surprising in potato culture and truck gardening. Potatoes grown with the use of commercial fertilizers are less liable to disease, and the quality of vegetables in many instances is improved. Quality seems to be largely dependent upon the rapidity and healthfulness of growth, and a slow acting manure will most surely produce inferior vegetables, lacking flavor. Peas, beans, radishes, carrots, etc., grown thereon are tough and flavorless, and likewise many fruits. The tenderness of beets, carrots, etc., depends on quick growth. Asparagus from soil rich in soluble food is full flavored, tender and luscious to the very tips.

Kubanka Wheat.

The much talked of Kubanka wheat, raised in the neighborhood of Winnipeg, has been badly sat upon by the Canadian boards of trade. They say it is only "goose or rice wheat," and not worth to them within twenty-five cents a bushel of good red life. The Russian grown Kubanka is a valuable mixing wheat on the Mark Lane market, and there may be a mistake somewhere.

Agricultural Notes.

Reports from various locations make it appear that the several forms of wire fencing withstood the blizzards of the past season better than any other sort. Post and rail, and the lighter board fences suffered most.

Arbor day is being observed in many of the states. It is a good institution. Hot milk in the morning will benefit the little chicks.

An extensive Kansas vine grower's short and plain rule for trimming grapes—Trim away from a 3-year-old vine in good condition all but twelve feet of new wood, divided among the different branches and train the arms of the vine as much as possible in a fan shape on the trellis. Give older and stronger vines more wood, weaker ones less.

Experiments with wheats at the New York station make it appear that compacting the soil aids the plant to resist winter killing and favors increased yield.

The recent development of the dairy interest in the northwest is worthy of notice.

HINTS ON STABLE MANAGEMENT.

How to Govern a Horse, What to Feed and When to Water.

Pure air is as essential to the blood as sound food is to the sustenance of the body. Consumed air is vitiated air, the volume of oxygen is reduced, carbonic acid is in excess. The stable is full of organic impurities given off by the skin and the lungs. Ventilation is found in all well regulated stables, and draughts are unknown, or ought to be.

Good grooming is demanded under stable management and in fast work. The brush, as a rule, should follow the direction of the hair, except when dirt and sweat are caked onto the coat, then you require to go against the lie of the coat—the set of the coat. Good grooming shortens the coat, gives a gloss and develops a physical force.

Horses fed largely on other foods demand less hay, but hay is useful in distending the stomach, and thus assisting digestion. From six to fourteen pounds daily, the average use is ten pounds in many stables. To maintain hunting or racing condition, old hay is essential.

Clover, vetches and trifolium are laxative and cooling, and excellent for the invalid horse or the youngster. They should be given sparingly, at the early part of the season. Green forage should never be given to horses in fast work, except on Saturday nights.

The horse may be trusted to gauge his thirst, except on occasions of extreme exertion. That horses are the better for being watered before being fed is an admitted fact with all veterinary surgeons. Colic and gripes are thus avoided. The explanation given is this: When the stomach is full of water, passing rapidly through the stomach, on the way is very apt to carry with it into the small intestine undigested corn, and this produces local irritation. There is less danger in watering a horse actively warm than when the system is somewhat lowered. Salt water is better for all stock, and on no account let horses drink dirty water; it is most objectionable.

Watermelon Culture.

Southern Cultivator gives the following advice on the management of this crop:

A sandy loamy soil suits melons best. It should be well supplied with humus. If the land is level and flat, liable to be water soaked, it should be thrown into beds two feet deep, with deep water furrows having previously been well broken, rolled or harrowed.

Good stable or yard manure is available, make a compost of twenty-five pounds manure, one pound of cotton seed meal, one pound of acid phosphate and one pound of kainit, and work it well into the soil of each hill. Great care should be taken at this point lest the cotton seed meal destroy the germination of the seed.

The hills should be set apart in the drill. After preparation and bedding keep the land perfectly clean by running a harrow over it as often as may be necessary. Continue the harrowing until the seed is ready to come up. As soon as the plants appear begin working with wide scrapes, going over at short intervals so as to keep the soil clean and mellow. Until the vines are one or two feet long, they may be moved to one side to allow the plow to run near the hill, but after that the vines should not be disturbed, the plows running only in the middles between the ends of the vines.—Southern Cultivator.

A Well Trained Grape Vine.

In the cut is shown a Mills grape vine properly trained on a Kniffin trellis of three wires. The system is an exceedingly simple one and the illustration makes it so plain that a full description would be superfluous. The symmetry shown in training and the well balanced distribution of fruit over the vine is only a matter of skillful management.



A GOOD GRAPE VINE WELL TRAINED.

The Mills grape is introduced by Messrs. Ellwanger and Barry. It is the result of crossing Muscat Hamburg with Creveling. It is claimed that this grape is a little later than the Concord and a long keeper.

Mr. E. Williams, in Orchard and Garden, from which the above illustration is taken, advises in addition to the trial of new varieties, enough trustworthy old standbys for an abundant home supply. He says truly that one vine of a well tested and approved kind, like Worden, or even like the older Concord, may prove worth more than ten yet untried novelties which do not happen to succeed with you.

Fruit Storage.

James Vick says we must aim for fruit storage houses above ground. You will never get what you want in building under ground, where there is always dampness. I think you can erect a wooden building with walls thick enough to keep out frost. Fruit kept in the cellar with other fruit and vegetables is not what it ought to be, there is a taint to the flavor, and a great deal of fruit is injured by being kept in this way. A person living in the city ought to have a house to preserve the fruit he wants for the table. If we do not see fine fruit on the table every day through the winter, it is a sure mark of great negligence on the part of some body. I do really believe that it is not an impossible thing to build a fruit house above ground simply by having walls lined with hay, straw or sawdust, and provided with dead air spaces.

New York is a wool growing state, too. At the time of the last census its annual product of wool was nearly 9,000,000 pounds. In this respect New York stood fourth in the list, coming after Ohio, California and Michigan.

	Number of sheep	Pounds of wool.
Ohio	4,392,476	5,008,755
California	4,128,749	16,730,080
Michigan	2,128,749	11,024,467
New York	1,715,190	8,987,330

These four states owned in 1880 more than one-third of all the sheep in the United States, and they probably produced more than one-third of the wool that was clipped. For the sake of carrying out some of the main recommendations of Mr. Cleveland's tariff message Mr. Mills and the other major generals in the campaign against American industries may think it safe to sacrifice the interests of the Ohio wool growers. Ohio is a Republican state, dead sure.

But how about New York, Michigan and California? They are all close states, doubtful states. California has eight electoral votes, Michigan has thirteen, and New York has thirty-six. Four years ago California went Republican by a majority of 8,191. Michigan went Republican by a plurality of 3,308. New York went Democratic by a plurality of 1,047. We wonder how the Cleveland Mills wool policy would strike the intelligent Democratic wool growers of Ontario, Livingston, Steuben, Greene, Washington and Yates, on or about election day.—New York Sun.

What Free Wool Means.

It has been estimated that the farmers engaged in wool growing, with men employed number 200,000 and they occupy and utilize 12,000,000 acres of land. Sheep raising enables them to make profitable the rough and hilly portion of their land, adding a value to their farms from this fact. The number of sheep is now estimated at 50,000,000, and the wool crop at 350,000,000 pounds, with a value of \$77,000,000. The annual sale of sheep, at an average of \$3 per head, is from 12,000,000 to 15,000,000, and the total sales from wool and mutton reach every year \$122,000,000.

Free wool means unprofitable sheep raising, which would reduce the price of land now devoted to that purpose to the amount, it is thought by some, of \$2.50 per acre. This would be a loss of \$250,000,000. There would be a shrinkage in price of sheep to at least fifty cents a head, making a loss of \$25,000,000. It would lead to a reduction of wages amounting to more than \$25,000,000. Taking the total loss by decrease in land, less value to labor, flocks and wool, it would amount to \$550,000,000, a rather heavy price to pay to back up Cleveland's measure by passage of the Mills bill.—Boston Traveller.

Responsibility of "Circumstances."

The New York Evening Post has this defense of President Cleveland's promises of a man taking a great office are always construed as simply expressions of an intention to do the best that circumstances will permit. This is the doctrine of imperialism. It is the assertion of one man's power. It is virtually saying "the king can do no wrong." It is relegating all power to the "man taking a great office."

No matter what his pledges may have been under which he received the "great office," he may violate them with impunity. He may nullify them at his own sweet will, escaping responsibility and defying criticism as impertinence, under The Evening Post's defense of despotic authority, that "the promises of a man taking a great office are always construed as simply expressions of an intention to do the best that circumstances will permit."

Napoleon in his usurpations, the czar of all the Russias in his exercise of despotic power, the Turkish sultan with assumption that his word must be law and to disobey is treason, could have desired no more convenient platform than this, namely "to do the best that circumstances permit," they of course, being sole judges of the "circumstances."

And this is The New York Evening Post's defense of President Cleveland! And this is to be accepted as President Cleveland's Democracy!—Troy Times.

Who is Gray?

Gray's name will sound strange to the delegates at St. Louis. There will be a general inquiry as to who he is. What proof can his backers show that he will bring any strength to the ticket, unless it be a following in Indiana that is neither representative nor all embracing, even among Democrats? It is a probability that the convention will go to the north-west for a candidate for the second place, Indiana's supply of great and good Democrats is small, and it would be dangerous to pick up a politician who, by luck or otherwise happens to have been juggled to the top of the heap.—Louisville Commercial (Dem.).

Kindly Leaves It to the Convention.

Congressman Scott, of Pennsylvania, who is supposed to know whereof he affirms, is reported to have stated, at Washington that the reports to the effect that President Cleveland favors Governor Gray, of Indiana, for the vice presidential nomination with himself, are not founded on fact. The president, he says, has not committed himself in favor of any candidate. He is quite willing to leave the matter to the convention, in the belief that a man will be chosen who will add strength to the ticket and be satisfactory to the party at large.—Kansas City Star.

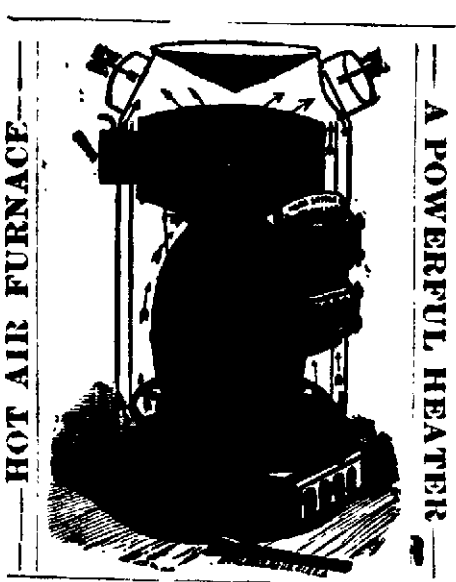
'Twas Nothing But Wind.

Cleveland sounded the alarm of an instantly impending monetary and business crisis, demanding immediate action by congress. Five months of the session have gone by since that alarm, and the causes of his panic have gone on piling up, and his party has done nothing to avert his proclaimed destruction, and it now proposes to do nothing till after the presidential election, lest its doing may be unpopular. And while the party confesses its inability in all domestic affairs, its conduct in foreign affairs has created difficulties which will be much harder to correct.—Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

We Couldn't Be Otherwise.

The Indiana Democratic platform congratulates the people on the fact that "the country is at peace with all the world," just as if that were anything new. The quotation sounds as if it had been excerpted from one of the queen's messages to parliament and perhaps Phelps suggested it. It is very English, you know. Talking about being "at peace with all the world," how could he be otherwise when the administration always backs down whenever a first class power bristles up to it? Anybody can have peace on such terms.—Cleveland Leader.

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CHAPMAN.

Our people were treated to a vocal concert last Monday evening.

Wm. Forrest, jr. has opened a grocery and provision store in Boss Smith's old corner and would be pleased to see his friends call.

The Knights of Labor of this place will give one of their social dances on Wednesday evening, June 6th. A big time is promised.

Ground was broken for the new mine at the Kitchen farm, Monday. It is to be a slope nine inches to the yard and four hundred feet long.

Mr. George Williams, assessor for this precinct, has completed his report, and his returns show us to be seven thousand dollars richer than last year.

Mr. Gormer Williams and family, after an absence of about one year in Pennsylvania, has concluded that Chapman is about as good a place to live as any.

A one-fourth-mile foot race has been arranged between David Williams, formerly of Fulton, and James Garney, of this place, for a purse of fifty dollars. The latter is to have ten yards start, and will take in Canal Fulton on Decoration day.

Your Fulton correspondent was certainly mistaken when he said local option would be voted on in Lawrence township May 21st, for the reason that the petition, although being circulated, has not yet been submitted to the trustees, after which thirty days notice will have to be given before a vote can lawfully be taken. It is also a mistake that the petition will have to contain two hundred signers, for after Fulton's vote is taken out, one hundred signers will be sufficient.

The Fulton Signal says, "he Chapman correspondent to THE MASSILLON INDEPENDENT is mistaken when he says that the Fulton postmaster is desirous of quitting the office and getting a more lucrative position." Well, sir, is not the above rather surprising, to say the least? Could any one believe that Fulton's postmaster or even the editor of the Signal would not give up their present positions for something better? Why certainly they would, for we are all here to better our conditions. All we want is the chance. Then again, Fulton's postmaster was not after anything better when he was examined for postoffice inspector, was he? Oh, no! Just hold your breath for a short time and you will see where our mistake comes in. You can rest assured that Pat will not receive anything better than we would like him to have for the intimate acquaintance we have had with him, compels us to think a great deal of him.

WEST BROOKFIELD.

Ed. Peters has the measles.

Work at the mines is brisk.

John Levers is the father of a girl this time.

Patinson & Smith are still drilling on the "Section."

Joseph Updegraff is drilling on the Greenville territory.

Andrew Hershey is building a new house at East Greenville.

John H. Bash, of Lycippus, Pa., spent last Sunday with his brother Jacob Bash, of this township.

D. A. Levers & Co. will start their bran new drilling apparatus on Jacob Kurtz's farm in a few days.

The attendance at the schools throughout the township is very poor, on account of a rash and the measles.

Two Tuscarawas township pedagogues, Isador Mair and Miss Mary Houriet, are attending school at Mt. Union.

The funeral of Luther Brain, the young man who died from injuries received in the West Massillon mine, was the largest seen in this place for many a day.

Tuscarawas township will have an election under the Beatty law to determine whether it will be a "wet" or "dry" township. A petition with over two hundred names will be presented to the trustees next Saturday. Both sides are organizing, and the contest will be a close one.

The first gun in the local option contest of this township was fired last Saturday evening. The meeting was opened with an eloquent contest for a silver medal, which was won by Miss Emma Jones. Then followed addresses on local option, by Messrs. N. E. Moffett and Rev. Kast. A petition was then presented and unanimously signed.

Tuscarawas township will soon have two more new mines. The Beaver Run Coal Company began work on a new slope, to develop the coal that underlies David Miller's farm. The mine is situated on John Jones's farm, near Lawrence township line, and the company will ship on the Fort Wayne road. The Elm Run Company also began work on a new mine on David Hemperly's farm. This mine will have a shaft opening and will develop one of the largest beds of coal in the valley. The coal will be shipped via W. & L. E.

Miss Flora McIlmsey, of Madison Square, must have a hard time, getting along in well society, with so few clothes—but they say she always managed to keep pretty well supplied with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

In the hot summer months, when business is commonly quiet, is just the time to advertise. It is then particularly, that newspaper circulations increase, because people have time to read.

ELTON.

A Narrow Escape from Death.

Mr. Sam Boughman, jr., is in Canton this week as juror.

Mr. John McIntosh, of Navarre station, spent the Sabbath at home.

Mr. Fred Kimmerline's have a fine baby boy, who completes the quartette.

The young people will "trip the light fantastic" at McIntosh's new barn Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Beals spent a few days with their parents the first of the week.

Relatives from Holmes county were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Klingel several days.

A brother of Wm. Penman, one of the "bosses" at Elm Run Mine, had his arm broken last week.

Mrs. Christ Grover has been confined to her room several days with the Dutch measles, which affect adults more than children.

The West Lebanon band dies semi-annually, as it were, and its demise excites no comment among those acquainted with its little way. The members meet on Friday night, and harmony abounds.

The youngest child of Riter McFarren's had a narrow escape from death Sunday. When at the home of Mrs. McFarren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weller, little Ben started upon a tour through the yard, and in some way excited the ire of the bees, who quickly settled on his head. His piteous cries soon brought his mother, who was fortunate enough to have a bit of sewing, which she switched about vigorously, but not until he was covered with stings. Prompt measures saved his life.

DALTON.

Alvin Good, of Sterling, is home on a visit.

J. M. Ficus, Tilden Welty and W. C. Scott made a flying trip to Massillon, Saturday, on business.

Rev. J. K. Koet, of Findlay, was here a day or two last week in the interest of the Weekly Presbytery, of Chicago.

Several acres of the Gilt Edge coal mine came down the other night. They had been taking out the pillars and had only three more to draw when the cave occurred.

Mr. L. B. Snodgrass, of the Dalton planing mill, had his right hand badly hurt in one of the machines in the mill last week. It will keep him from work for some time.

Saturday was the special school election, whether to build a new building not to exceed ten thousand dollars or to repair the old one not exceeding seven thousand dollars. We think the above figures were nearly twice as much as they should be, as is the reason they were both defeated. It is a well known fact that we have not room enough, but that sufficient room can be made for a less sum of money. The vote was as follows: For new building, fifteen; for repairing old building, five; against new building, eighty-nine.

Great Injury to Health!

The great danger in the traffic in adulterated food arises from the deception that is practised by manufacturers usually classing such goods as pure. This is almost invariably done when the adulterant is one that is injurious to health. For instance, manufacturers of ammonia, alum or lime baking powders not only fail to inform the public of the real character of their goods, but carefully conceal the fact that they are made from these poisonous articles. Most of these manufacturers also claim that their articles are absolutely pure. No consumer will buy ammonia or alum baking powders knowingly, for it is well understood that they are detrimental to health. The sale of ammonia and alum baking powders as pure and wholesome articles, is, therefore, criminal.

The official analysts have recently been active in the pursuit of these dishonest articles. The baking powders of several states have been carefully and critically examined. The officials are surprised at the large amount of ammonia, lime and alum goods found.

It is a suggestive fact that Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder has been found, by the several State Commissioners, government chemists, and eminent food analysts, to contain neither ammonia, lime or alum. While the Royal Baking Powder was found to contain ammonia and lime in large quantities. The chief service of ammonia is to cheapen the product, but, being a caustic of a powerful nature, it produces serious effects, inflames and kidneys more particularly of infants and children and especially when the ammonia is taken into the system as after day, and with almost every meal. This is said by physicians to be one of the causes of indigestion, dyspepsia, and those painful diseases of the kidneys, now so prevalent.

Adulteration with ammonia is quite as much to be dreaded as with alum, which has always received the most emphatic condemnation from food analysts, physicians and chemists.

To determine the purity of any baking powder, make this simple test: Mix in a tin cup two heaping teaspoonfuls of cold water, place it over the fire, stirring constantly, allow it to boil thoroughly, until the gas escapes freely, then smother if adulterated, that unspeakable odor, proving the source of ammonia, will be plainly detected. The presence of ammonia in most cases, indicates that alum is used, as nearly all the alum of commerce contains ammonia. Pure baking powder will not give the faintest ammoniacal odor.

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Private Dainell Coming.

Hart Post No. 134, G. A. R., has succeeded in inducing Private Dainell to come to Massillon, and he will deliver his lecture upon "The Boys in Blue" in the opera house on Monday evening, May 28.

An Injunction served.

An injunction was served upon Clement Russell, Wednesday, by the deputy sheriff, to restrain him from filling up the basin west of the Harsh block, on the corner of Main and Erie streets. The injunction was issued at the instigation of Hon. J. G. Warwick, who claims the property by a lease from the State. Mr. Russell claims that it is not State property and that his right to it is by purchase from the original owners.

First Banquet of the Navarre Alumni Association.

The Navarre Alumni Association held their first annual banquet at the Hotel Navarre, Saturday evening, May 19th, 1888. After the hour of 8, members began to drop in and soon the parlor was filled with a pleasant, sociable group of young men and ladies who represent the Navarre high school among the large number of high school graduates. Soon after, the school board, Superintendent McKean and Ex-Superintendent Weimer, the guests of the association, filed into the room, among the happy gathering. Everybody seemed to be enjoying themselves when the hour of 10 arrived and the party marched into the dining room. After the discussion of an excellent menu and when the cloth had been removed, the cat ering opened the exercises by singing "Home, Sweet Home." The toastmaster, Mr. Ed Hug, then introduced Thomas Thomas, who, in a five-minute speech, explained the aim of the association and cordially welcomed all. The address of welcome was responded to in a neat speech by Superintendent J. E. McKean. Ex-Superintendent Weimer then read an able paper on "Radicalism and Conservatism in Education." "The Navarre High School" was the toast responded to by Miss Artie Hoagland. In the absence of Mr. John Loew, Mr. Alex Garver was called upon to respond to "The School Board." "The Alumni" received the attention of Miss Lily O. Woodling, of Wooster, in a pleasant effort, and Mr. Clifford Camp praised "The Ladies" in a humorous five-minute speech. Exercises closed by singing "Auld Lang Syne." Everybody was pleased and happy at midnight when the party broke up and all promised to attend the next banquet and wished the association success.

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Legal Notice.

Abraham B. Miller, whose place of residence is unknown, but is without the State of Ohio, will take notice that on April 10th, 1888, Henry Schneider filed his petition in the court of Common Pleas, of Stark county, Ohio, against him and Frances Miller, (case No. 5778), therein stating, that on October 28th, 1878, he filed his certain other petition against them in said court, (case No. 582), in which they were duly served with process, to foreclose 2 mortgages given by them, one dated June 19, 1877, to F. Z. Groff, and by him assigned to said Schneider, for \$500, on the west half of Lot No. 346, in Kent Jarvis' addition to the Town, now a part of said City of Massillon, in said county, 50 feet on front and rear and 144 feet deep, reserving therefrom the right of way 10 to 14 feet in width, off the rear of said Lot for an alley, to be thereafter determined by the owners of lots adjacent thereto, recorded in the mortgage records of said county, Vol. 151, page 372, and the other dated December 4, 1873, to said Schneider direct, for \$120, on the west half of Lot No. 348, in the same addition, but in fact, and intended to be, on the west half of said Lot No. 346, with the reservation aforesaid, recorded in said mortgage records, Vol. 128, page 122, that in said proceedings, the court, for the satisfaction and payment of said mortgage claims, by mistake and inadvertence ordered to be sold, the east half of said Lot No. 346, with all the reservations to an alley, under which order the west half of said Lot No. 346 was in fact appraised and sold to said Schneider; but the Sheriff in his return of the order of sale stated that he had sold the east half thereof, and the sale having been so confirmed by the court on Dec. 27, 1879, and a deed ordered, the sheriff executed and delivered to said Schneider, a deed calling for the east half of said Lot No. 346, with said alley reservation, which deed is dated Dec. 27, 1879, and is recorded in the deed records of the county, Vol. 174, page 282-3.

The object and prayer of the petition are to have the errors and mistakes in said proceedings corrected and to have the court adjudge the said proceedings and sale to be a nullity of all equities and rights of said Abraham B. Miller and Frances Miller, and each of them, in and to said west half of said Lot No. 346, subject to the reservation aforesaid, and said deed of Dec. 27, 1879, to be in fact a conveyance thereof to said Henry Schneider in fee simple, and for all other proper relief.

The person thus notified is required to answer on or before June 9, 1888.

HENRY SCHNEIDER, Plaintiff.

MASSILLON, O., April 12, 1888. 43-3

Notice of Attachment.

Robert A. Pinn, P.M.E. } Before W. S. S. Rogers, Justice of the Peace of Perry township, for the period of one year, beginning June 1st 1888. All persons wishing the services of a county physician must call on Dr. Garrett at No. 35 South Mill street, Massillon, Ohio, as bills of other physicians for the treatment of county poor will not be allowed by the infirmaries directors.

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Notice.

To whom it may concern: This is to certify that William Garrett, M. D., was this day appointed as physician and surgeon of the county poor of Perry township, for the period of one year, beginning June 1st 1888. All persons wishing the services of a county physician must call on Dr. Garrett at No. 35 South Mill street, Massillon, Ohio, as bills of other physicians for the treatment of county poor will not be allowed by the infirmaries directors.

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Notice of Appointment.

The undersigned has been duly appointed administrator, with the will annexed, of the Estate of Lydia H. Russell, late of Stark County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated the 8th day of March, 1888.

JOSEPH K. RUSSELL, Adm'r. with will annexed.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received by B. B. Ray, Clerk of Board of Education, of Lawrence Township, Stark County, Ohio, at his office in J. W. Ray's grocery store, Canal Fulton, until 12 o'clock at noon, on the 8th day of June, 1888, for the building of a school house in Sub district No. 4, according to the plans and specifications on file in said office. Each bid must contain the names of every person interested in the same, and be accompanied by a sufficient guarantee of some disinterested person, that, if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into and the performance of it properly secured. The bid for each kind of material specified in the specifications must be stated separately and the price of each given, together with the separate price of labor corresponding to each. None but the lowest responsible bid will be accepted, and the board may reject all bids.

By order of Board of Education. B. B. Ray, Township Clerk.

Administrator Notice.

The undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John Christman, late of Stark county, Ohio, deceased. All indebted to said estate are required to make prompt settlement, and all claims against said estate must be reported for payment.

NATHAN E. MOFFITT, Administrator.

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Robert A. Pinn, P.M.E. } Before W. S. S. Rogers, Justice of the Peace of Perry township, for the period of one year, beginning June 1st 1888. All persons wishing the services of a county physician must call on Dr. Garrett at No. 35 South Mill street, Massillon, Ohio, as bills of other physicians for the treatment of county poor will not be allowed by the infirmaries directors.

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Notice.

To whom it may concern: This is to certify that William Garrett, M. D., was this day appointed as physician and surgeon of the county poor of Perry township, for the period of one year, beginning June 1st 1888. All persons wishing the services of a county physician must call on Dr. Garrett at No. 35 South Mill street, Massillon, Ohio, as bills of other physicians for the treatment of county poor will not be allowed by the infirmaries directors.

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Notice of Appointment.

The undersigned has been duly appointed administrator, with the will annexed, of the Estate of Lydia H. Russell, late of Stark County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated the 8th day of March, 1888.

JOSEPH K. RUSSELL, Adm'r. with will annexed.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received by B. B. Ray, Clerk of Board of Education, of Lawrence Township, Stark County, Ohio, at his office in J. W. Ray's grocery store, Canal Fulton, until 12 o'clock at noon, on the 8th day of June, 1888, for the building of a school house in Sub district No. 4, according to the plans and specifications on file in said office. Each bid must contain the names of every person interested in the same, and be accompanied by a sufficient guarantee of some disinterested person, that, if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into and the performance of it properly secured. The bid for each kind of material specified in the specifications must be stated separately and the price of each given, together with the separate price of labor corresponding to each. None but the lowest responsible bid will be accepted, and the board may reject all bids.

By order of Board of Education. B. B. Ray, Township Clerk.

Administrator Notice.

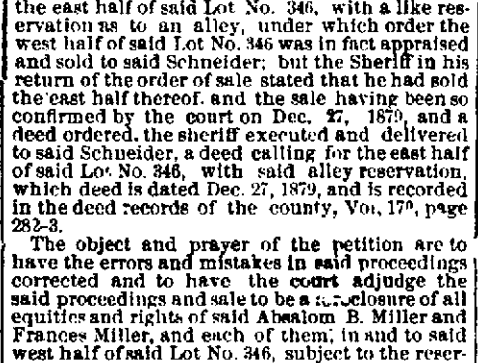
The undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John Christman, late of Stark county, Ohio, deceased. All indebted to said estate are required to make prompt settlement, and all claims against said estate must be reported for payment.

NATHAN E. MOFFITT, Administrator.

Dated April 21st, 1888.

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